

The Commissioner's New Year Message

The Quarterly continues to be a source of pride and information to members and ex-members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. Its success is due to the efforts of many persons and I wish to express my appreciation to all who help maintain its fine traditions.

In the past year, members of the Force have demonstrated the kind of professionalism which shows we are an organization dedicated to the preservation of peace and order in Canadian society. The new year will be filled with new challenges and I hope that we will continue to enjoy the support of the public.

It gives me great pleasure to join the staff of the Quarterly in extending Season's Greetings to members and friends of the Force and to the faithful readers and subscribers of the magazine and their families.



N.D. Inkster
Commissioner

Editor's Notes

POLICE SKI CHAMPIONSHIPS The North American Police Ski Championships will be held March 4-10, 1991, at Crested Butte, Colorado. This event is open to all serving and retired "sworn" law enforcement personnel, and the focus is recreational racing. There is a guest category for other skiers. At the 1990 championships, there were approximately 300 law enforcement racers from 77 different agencies or departments. The following Canadian police ski team members may be contacted for information:

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GRANDE PRAIRIE "MYSTERY" PHOTO Ex-S/Sgt. Cal Mains, Hay River, Northwest Territories, wrote to *the Quarterly* recently, identifying the other member in a photograph published on page 11 of Vol. 55 No. 3, Summer 1990 issue. The "mystery" member, on the left of the photo, is ex-S/Sgt. (then Constable) Wesley Marks. Mains was the member correctly identified in the photo.